

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF MONTANA  
MISSOULA DIVISION

RONAN TELEPHONE COMPANY,

Plaintiff/  
Counter-Defendant,

vs.

MCI COMMUNICATIONS  
SERVICES LLC and VERIZON  
SELECT SERVICES INC.,

Defendants/  
Counter-Claimants.

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RONAN TELEPHONE COMPANY,

Plaintiff/  
Counter-Defendant,

vs.

LEVEL 3 COMMUNICATIONS,  
LLC; WILTEL COMMUNICATIONS,  
LCC; and GLOBAL CROSSING  
TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC.

Defendants/  
Counter-Claimants.

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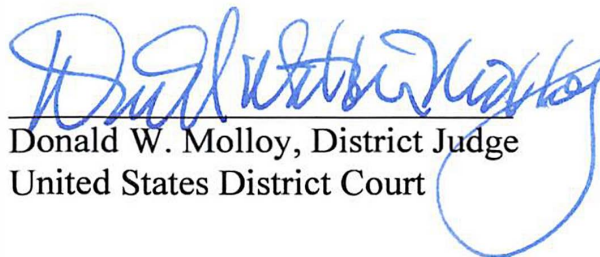
CV 16-06-M-DWM  
CV 16-52-M-DWM

ORDER

Cause number CV 16–52–M–DWM having been reassigned to the undersigned, IT IS ORDERED that on or before **February 24, 2022**, the parties shall file a notice, either jointly or individually, addressing:

- (1) Their position on consolidation and the potential scope of such consolidation under Rule 42 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure;
- (2) Whether the parties in CV 16–52–M–DWM would like to maintain a jury demand and, if so, to what claims the demand applies;
- (3) Whether the cases should be referred to a magistrate judge for a settlement conference; and
- (4) Whether the parties in CV 16–52–M–DWM object to the deadlines and trial date set in CV 16–06–M–DWM, (*see* Doc. 24). Any objection to the trial date must specifically identify the preexisting conflict and provide supporting documentation.

DATED this 10<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2022.

  
Donald W. Molloy, District Judge  
United States District Court